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Sandra Winston, Director

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TO:

All Local Office Area Managers

SUBJECT: Certification Regarding Eligibility to Apply for Trade Adjustment Assistance

- 1. <u>Purpose:</u> To provide information about the Certification of Trade Adjustment Assistance for Plastic Research and Development, MULBERRY, AR.
- 2. <u>General Information:</u> The Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance issued a Certification on February 24, 2004. Employees of this company are eligible to apply for Trade Adjustment Assistance under the Trade Act of 2002. Below is the information concerning the TAA Certification.

Plastic Research and Development, MULBERRY, AR	
Petition Filing Date:	February 10, 2004
Petition Number:	TAW-54226
Impact Date:	February 04, 2004
Certification Date:	February 24, 2004
Termination Date:	February 24, 2006

A Legal Notice announcing the Certification will run in a newspaper of general circulation. Employees and former employees will be mailed letters requesting that they contact their nearest local office concerning benefits available under the Trade Act of 2002. WIA staff will be advised to coordinate training activities with ESD. Local Office Managers shall ensure that adversely affected workers are offered the full range of employability services such as counseling, testing, training, job referral, placement, job-search, job relocation assistance and TRA.

- 3. <u>Action Required:</u> Please notify the appropriate members of your staff regarding the contents of this memorandum and coordinate training activities with the WIA Provider..
- 4. <u>Inquiries:</u> Direct any questions concerning this memorandum to the TAA Unit at (501) 682-3227.
- 5. <u>Attachment</u>: Certification for TAW-54226 Plastic Research and Development, MULBERRY, AR.
- 6. Expiration Date: February 24, 2006.